# Neumann Boundary Conditions from D1-Brane Description at the Presence of Electric Field

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#### Abstract

We study the fluctuations of D1 $\perp$ D3 branes from D1-Brane description in the presence of world volume electric field. The fluctuations are found to obey Neumann boundary conditions separating the system into two regions depending on electric field E.

# 1 Introduction

The D-brane's world volume is governed by the Born-Infeld (BI) action which is the dimensional reduction of 10-dimensional supersymmetric Born-Infeld electrodynamics [1]. Among the many fascinating features of D-branes there is the possibility for D-branes to morph into other D-branes of different dimensions by exciting some of the scalar fields [2, 3]. It's known in the literature that there are many different but physically equivalent descriptions of how a D1-brane may end on a D3-brane. From the point of view of the D3 brane the configuration is described by a monopole on its world volume. From the point of view of the D1-brane the configuration is described by D1 opening up into a D3-brane where the extra three dimensions form a fuzzy two sphere whose radius diverges at the

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origin of the D3-brane. These different view points are the stringy realization of the Nahm transformation [4]. The dynamics of both bion spike [2, 5] and fuzzy funnel [6, 7] were studied by considering linearized fluctuations around the static solutions.

In this context, the main sections of the present paper will be devoted to study the fluctuations of funnel solutions using D1-brane theory by considering dyonic strings. We start by a brief review on D1\pmuD3 branes in dyonic case described by the abelian and the non-abelian BI action in section 2. It's known that the description of intersecting fundamental string/D3-branes was presented by Callan and Maldacena [2] by showing that BI action can be used to bluilt a configuration of a semi-infinite fundamental string ending on a 3-brane. In [8] it was howed that by exciting the static solutions of F-string/D3brane system plus the excitation of electromagnetic field the system can obey Neumann boundary conditions such that the BI dynamics of the F-string was considered. This is looking as a dual description of the system we treat in our present work in which the wave excitation is coming up the dyonic string to D3-brane by using non-abelian BI action, only that we don't assume the fluctuation at the level of electromagnetic field. Thus, in section 3, we discuss the fluctuations of the fuzzy funnel from D1-brane point of view. We give the solutions of the linearized equations of motion of the fluctuations for overall transverse case. We also discuss the solutions and the potential depending on the presence of electric field which is leading to divide the system into two regions meaning that the end of the string moves freely on the D3-brane realizing Polchinski's open string Neumann boundary condition. In section 4, we conclude.

# 2 D1⊥D3 Branes in Dyonic Case

In this section, we review in brief the funnel solutions of D1 $\perp$ D3 branes from D3 and D1 branes points of view using abelian and non-abelian BI actions respectively for the world volume gauge field in dyonic case. The dyonic system is given by considering the D-strings and the fundamental strings which are introduced by adding a U(1) electric field. It was showed in [2, 9] that the BI action, when taken as the fundamental action, can be used to build a configuration with a semi-infinite fundamental string ending on a D3-brane [10]. Thus the system is described by the following action

$$S = \int dt L = -T_3 \int d^4 \sigma \sqrt{-\det(\eta_{ab} + \lambda^2 \partial_a \phi^i \partial_b \phi^i + \lambda F_{ab})}$$

$$= -T_3 \int d^4 \sigma \left[ 1 + \lambda^2 \left( \mid \nabla \phi \mid^2 + B^2 + E^2 \right) \right]$$

$$+ \lambda^4 \left( (B \cdot \nabla \phi)^2 + (E \cdot B)^2 + \mid E \wedge \nabla \phi \mid^2 \right) \right]^{\frac{1}{2}}$$
(1)

in which  $F_{ab}$  (a, b = 0, ..., 3) is the field strength and the electric field is denoted as  $F_{0d} = E$  (d = 1, 2, 3).  $\sigma^a$  denote the world volume coordinates while  $\phi^i$  (i = 4, ..., 9) are the scalars describing transverse fluctuations of the brane and  $\lambda = 2\pi \ell_s^2$  with  $\ell_s$  is the string length. In our case we excite just one scalar so  $\phi^i = \phi^9 \equiv \phi$ . Considering static gauge, the system gets the lowest energy at specific condition as we see below. Accordingly to (1) the energy

of dyonic system is

$$\Xi = T_3 \int d^3 \sigma \left[ \lambda^2 \mid \nabla \phi + \overrightarrow{B} + \overrightarrow{E} \mid^2 + (1 - \lambda^2 \nabla \phi \cdot \overrightarrow{B})^2 - 2\lambda^2 \overrightarrow{E} \cdot (\overrightarrow{B} + \nabla \phi) \right.$$

$$\left. + \lambda^4 \left( (\overrightarrow{E} \cdot \overrightarrow{B})^2 + |\overrightarrow{E} \wedge \nabla \phi|^2 \right) \right]^{1/2}.$$

$$(2)$$

Then if we require  $\nabla \phi + \vec{B} + \vec{E} = 0$ ,  $\Xi$  reduces to the lower bound  $\Xi_0 \geq 0$ 

$$\Xi_{0} = T_{3} \int d^{3}\sigma \left[ (1 - \lambda^{2}(\nabla \phi) \cdot \overrightarrow{B})^{2} + 2\lambda^{2} \overrightarrow{E} \cdot \overrightarrow{E}) \right]$$

$$+ \lambda^{4} ((\overrightarrow{E} \cdot \overrightarrow{B})^{2} + |\overrightarrow{E}\Lambda\nabla\phi|^{2}) \right]^{1/2}.$$

$$(3)$$

By using the Bianchi identity  $\nabla B = 0$  and the fact that the gauge field is static, the funnel solution is then

$$\phi = \frac{N_m + N_e}{2r},\tag{4}$$

with  $N_m$  is magnetic charge,  $N_e$  electric charge and  $r = \sqrt{\sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2 + \sigma_3^2}$ .

In the dual description of the  $D1\perp D3$  system we consider  $(N, N_f)$ -strings; we have N D-strings and  $N_f$  fundamental strings [11]. The theory is described by the action

$$S = -T_1 \int d^2 \sigma S Tr \left[ -\det(\eta_{ab} + \lambda^2 \partial_a \phi^i Q_{ij}^{-1} \partial_b \phi^j + \lambda F_{ab}) \det Q^{ij} \right]^{\frac{1}{2}}$$
 (5)

in which we replaced the strength field  $F_{\tau\sigma}$  by  $EI_N$  ( $I_N$  is  $N \times N$ -matrix),  $Q_{ij} = \delta_{ij} + i\lambda[\phi_i, \phi_j]$  and  $\phi^i$ , i = 1, 2, 3, are the scalar fields.

The action can be rewritten as

$$S = -T_1 \int d^2 \sigma S Tr \left[ -\det \begin{pmatrix} \eta_{ab} + \lambda F_{ab} & \lambda \partial_a \phi^j \\ -\lambda \partial_b \phi^i & Q^{ij} \end{pmatrix} \right]^{\frac{1}{2}}.$$
 (6)

Then the bound states of D-strings and fundamental strings are made simply by introducing a background U(1) electric field on D-strings. By computing the determinant, the action becomes

$$S = -T_1 \int d^2 \sigma S Tr \left[ (1 - \lambda^2 E^2 + \alpha_i \alpha_i \hat{R}^{2}) (1 + 4\lambda^2 \alpha_j \alpha_j \hat{R}^4) \right]^{\frac{1}{2}}, \tag{7}$$

where the following ansatz was inserted

$$\phi_i = \hat{R}\alpha_i. \tag{8}$$

Hence, we get the funnel solution for dyonic string by solving the equation of variation of  $\hat{R}$ , as follows

$$\phi_i = \frac{\alpha_i}{2\sigma\sqrt{1-\lambda^2 E^2}}. (9)$$

## 3 Fluctuations of Dyonic Funnel Solutions

To treat the dynamics of the dyonic funnel solutions in D1-branes description we solve the linearized equations of motion for small and time-dependent fluctuations of the transverse scalar around the exact background. We deal with the fluctuations of the funnels (9) discussed in section 2. By plugging into the full  $(N - N_f)$  string action (6,7) the "overall transverse"  $\delta \phi^m(\sigma,t) = f^m(\sigma,t)I_N$ , m=4,...,8 which is the simplest type of fluctuation with  $I_N$  the identity matrix; those don't excite internal modes on  $S^2$ , together with the funnel solution, we get

$$S = -T_1 \int d^2 \sigma S Tr \left[ (1 + \lambda E) (1 + \frac{\lambda^2 \alpha^i \alpha^i}{4\sigma^4}) \left( (1 + \frac{\lambda^2 \alpha^i \alpha^i}{4\sigma^4}) (1 + (\lambda E - 1) \lambda^2 (\partial_t \delta \phi^m)^2) + \lambda^2 (\partial_\sigma \delta \phi^m)^2 \right) \right]^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\approx -NT_1 \int d^2 \sigma H \left[ (1 + \lambda E) - (1 - \lambda^2 E^2) \frac{\lambda^2}{2} (\dot{f}^m)^2 + \frac{(1 + \lambda E) \lambda^2}{2H} (\partial_\sigma f^m)^2 + \dots \right]$$
(10)

where

$$H = 1 + \frac{\lambda^2 C}{4\sigma^4}$$

and  $C = Tr\alpha^i\alpha^i$ . For the irreducible  $N \times N$  representation  $C = N^2 - 1$ . In the last line we have only kept the terms quadratic in the fluctuations as this is sufficient to determine the linearized equations of motion

$$\left( (1 - \lambda E)(1 + \lambda^2 \frac{N^2 - 1}{4\sigma^4}) \partial_t^2 - \partial_\sigma^2 \right) f^m = 0.$$
 (11)

In the overall case, all the points of the fuzzy funnel move or fluctuate in the same direction of the dyonic string by an equal distance  $\delta x^m$ . First, the funnel solution is  $\phi^i = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{1-\lambda^2}E^2}\frac{\alpha^i}{\sigma}$  and we suggegest that for a definite energy (frequency  $\omega$ ) the fluctuation  $f^m$  waves in the direction of  $x^m$  are

$$f^{m}(\sigma, t) = \Phi(\sigma)e^{-iwt}\delta x^{m}. \tag{12}$$

With this ansatz the equation of motion (11) becomes

$$\left(-\partial_{\sigma}^{2} - \frac{\lambda^{2}C}{4\sigma^{4}}(1 - \lambda E)w^{2}\right)\Phi(\sigma) = (1 - \lambda E)w^{2}\Phi(\sigma). \tag{13}$$

We remark here that the neergy associated to the present fluctuation  $\xi = (1 - \lambda E)w^2$  will be negative if  $E \gg \frac{1}{\lambda}$  corresponding to unphysical phenomena. To avoid the critical case acquired by large electric field we consider in the following  $0 \le E \le \frac{1}{\lambda}$ . Thus, we remark that the equation (13) is an analog one-dimensional Schrödinger equation with

$$V(\sigma) = w^2 (\lambda E - 1) \lambda^2 \frac{N^2 - 1}{4\sigma^4}.$$
 (14)

We notice that, in the unphysical case in which the electric field dominates, the potential goes to zero at large  $\sigma$  and to  $\infty$  for small  $\sigma$ . Now, in the physical case, if  $E \ll 1/\lambda$  we find  $V \to 0$  for large  $\sigma$  and  $V \to -\infty$  if  $\sigma \to 0$  but if  $E \approx 1/\lambda$  the potential goes to zero  $\forall \sigma$ . This can be seen as two separated systems depending on electric field so we have Neumann boundary condition separating the system into two regions  $E \approx 0$  and  $E \approx 1/\lambda$ .

Then, the problem is reduced to finding the solution of a single scalar equation. Thus the first solution we could find is

$$\Phi(\sigma) = e^{\pm ((1-\lambda E)\frac{w^2}{2}(\sigma^2 + \frac{\lambda^2(N^2 - 1)}{12\sigma^2}) + cst)}.$$
(15)

and the fluctuation then is

$$f^{m}(\sigma) = e^{\pm ((1-\lambda E)\frac{w^{2}}{2}(\sigma^{2} + \frac{\lambda^{2}(N^{2}-1)}{12\sigma^{2}}) + cst)} e^{-iwt} \delta x^{m}.$$
(16)

These solutions (14) and (15) are taken by considering the following condition;

$$\left(\partial_{\sigma}(\sigma^2 + \frac{\lambda^2(N^2 - 1)}{12\sigma^2})\right)^2 = 0,$$

which means  $\sigma$  is fixed to be

$$\sigma = \pm \sqrt{\lambda} \left(\frac{N^2 - 1}{12}\right)^{\frac{1}{4}}.\tag{17}$$

The fluctuation (15) is then found on fixed point (16) depending only on electric field with w,  $\lambda$  and large N fixed

$$f^{m}(\sigma) = e^{\pm ((1-\lambda E)\frac{w^{2}\lambda N}{2\sqrt{3}} + cst)} e^{-iwt} \delta x^{m}$$

and for other points on the string the solution will be different as we will see below.

The equation (13) can be also rewritten as follows

$$\left(\frac{1}{w^2(1-\lambda E)}\partial_{\sigma}^2 + 1 + \frac{\lambda^2 N^2}{4\sigma^4}\right)\Phi(\sigma) = 0,\tag{18}$$

for large N. Now by suggesting  $\tilde{\sigma} = w\sqrt{1-\lambda E}\sigma$  the latter equation becomes

$$\left(\partial_{\tilde{\sigma}}^2 + 1 + \frac{\kappa^2}{\tilde{\sigma}^4}\right)\Phi(\tilde{\sigma}) = 0, \tag{19}$$

with the potential is

$$V(\tilde{\sigma}) = \frac{\kappa^2}{\tilde{\sigma}^4},\tag{20}$$

and  $\kappa = \frac{\lambda N w^2}{2}(1 - \lambda E)$ , with  $E \neq \frac{1}{\lambda}$ . This equation is a Schrödinger equation for an attractive singular potential  $\propto \tilde{\sigma}^{-4}$  and depends on the single coupling parameter  $\kappa$  with constant positive Schrödinger energy. The solution is then known by making the following coordinate change

$$\chi(\tilde{\sigma}) = \int_{\sqrt{\kappa}}^{\tilde{\sigma}} dy \sqrt{1 + \frac{\kappa^2}{y^4}},\tag{21}$$

and

$$\Phi = (1 + \frac{\kappa^2}{\tilde{\sigma}^4})^{-\frac{1}{4}}\tilde{\Phi}.$$
 (22)

Thus, the equation (19) becomes

$$\left(-\partial_{\chi}^{2} + V(\chi)\right)\tilde{\Phi} = \tilde{\Phi},\tag{23}$$

with

$$V(\chi) = \frac{5\kappa^2}{(\tilde{\sigma}^2 + \frac{\kappa^2}{\tilde{\sigma}^2})^3}.$$
 (24)

Then

$$f^{m} = \left(1 + \frac{\kappa^{2}}{\tilde{\sigma}^{4}}\right)^{-\frac{1}{4}} e^{\pm i\chi(\tilde{\sigma})} e^{-iwt} \delta x^{m}. \tag{25}$$

This fluctuation has the following limits; at large  $\sigma$ ,  $f^m \sim e^{\pm i\chi(\tilde{\sigma})}e^{-iwt}\delta x^m$  and if  $\sigma$  is small  $f^m = \frac{\sqrt{\kappa}}{\tilde{\sigma}}e^{\pm i\chi(\tilde{\sigma})}e^{-iwt}\delta x^m$ . These are the asymptotic wave function in the regions  $\chi \to \pm \infty$ , while around  $\chi \ll 1/\lambda$ ; i.e.  $\tilde{\sigma} \sim \sqrt{\kappa}$ ,  $f^m \sim 2^{-\frac{1}{4}}e^{-iwt}\delta x^m$ .

A closer look at the potential in various limits of electric field we find;

• 
$$E \ll 1/\lambda$$
,  $V(\chi) \sim \frac{5\lambda^2 N^2 w^2}{4(w^2 \sigma^2 + \frac{\lambda^2 N^2 w^2}{4\sigma^2})}$ ;  $\sigma \sim \infty \Longrightarrow V(\chi) \sim \infty$ ,  $\sigma \sim 0 \Longrightarrow V(\chi) \ll 1/\lambda$ 

• 
$$E \sim \frac{1}{\lambda}$$
,  $V(\chi) \ll 1/\lambda$ 

As discussed above, again we get the separated systems in different regions depending on the values of electric field. Also if we have a look at the fluctuation (25) as well as (15) we find that  $f^m$  in the case of  $E \approx 1/\lambda$  is different from the one in  $E \ll 1/\lambda$  case; as a result the function  $f^m$  will get a discontinuity. This is seen as Neumann boundary condition from non-Born-Infeld dynamics separating the system into two regions depending on the electric field.

The fluctuations discussed above could be called the zero mode  $\ell=0$  and for high modes  $\ell\geq 0$ , the fluctuations are  $\delta\phi^m(\sigma,t)=\sum\limits_{\ell=0}^{N-1}\psi^m_{i_1...i_\ell}\alpha^{i_1}...\alpha^{i_\ell}$  with  $\psi^m_{i_1...i_\ell}$  are completely symmetric and traceless in the lower indices.

The action describing this system is

$$S \approx -NT_1 \int d^2\sigma \Big[ (1+\lambda E)H - (1-\lambda^2 E^2)H \frac{\lambda^2}{2} (\partial_t \delta \phi^m)^2 \Big]$$

$$+ \frac{(1+\lambda E)\lambda^2}{2} (\partial_\sigma \delta \phi^m)^2 - (1-\lambda^2 E^2) \frac{\lambda^2}{2} [\phi^i, \delta \phi^m]^2$$

$$- \frac{\lambda^4}{12} [\partial_\sigma \phi^i, \partial_t \delta \phi^m]^2 + \dots \Big]$$

$$(26)$$

The linearized equations of motion are

$$\left[ (1 - \lambda E)H\partial_t^2 - \partial_\sigma^2 \right] \delta\phi^m + (1 - \lambda E)[\phi^i, [\phi^i, \delta\phi^m]] - \frac{\lambda^2}{6(1 + \lambda E)} \left[ \partial_\sigma\phi^i, [\partial_\sigma\phi^i, \partial_t^2\delta\phi^m] \right] = 0. \tag{27}$$

The backgound solution was  $\phi^i \propto \alpha^i$  and we have  $[\alpha^i, \alpha^j] = 2i\epsilon_{ijk}\alpha^k$ . Thus

$$[\alpha^{i}, [\alpha^{i}, \delta\phi^{m}] = \sum_{\ell < N} \psi^{m}_{i_{1} \dots i_{\ell}} [\alpha^{i}, [\alpha^{i}, \alpha^{i_{1}} \dots \alpha^{i_{\ell}}]$$

$$= \sum_{\ell < N} 4\ell(\ell+1) \psi^{m}_{i_{1} \dots i_{\ell}} \alpha^{i_{1}} \dots \alpha^{i_{\ell}}$$
(28)

To obtain a specific spherical harmonic on 2-sphere, we have

$$[\phi^i, [\phi^i, \delta\phi_\ell^m]] = \frac{\ell(\ell+1)}{\sigma^2} \delta\phi_\ell^m, \qquad [\partial_\sigma \phi^i, [\partial_\sigma \phi^i, \partial_t^2 \delta\phi^m]] = \frac{\ell(\ell+1)}{\sigma^4} \partial_t^2 \delta\phi_\ell^m. \tag{29}$$

Then for each mode the equations of motion are

$$\left[ -\partial_{\sigma}^{2} - w^{2} \left( (1 - \lambda E)(1 + \lambda^{2} \frac{N^{2} - 1}{4\sigma^{4}}) - \frac{\lambda^{2} \ell(\ell + 1)}{6(1 + \lambda E)\sigma^{4}} \right) + (1 - \lambda E) \frac{\ell(\ell + 1)}{\sigma^{2}} \right] \delta \phi_{\ell}^{m} = 0.$$
 (30)

The solution of the equation of motion can be found by taking the following proposal. Let's consider  $\delta \phi_{\ell}^m = f_{\ell}^m(\sigma)e^{-iwt}$  in direction m with  $f_{\ell}^m(\sigma)$  is some function of  $\sigma$  for each mode  $\ell$ .

The last equation can be rewritten as

$$\left[ -\partial_{\sigma}^{2} + V(\sigma) \right] f_{\ell}^{m}(\sigma) = w^{2} (1 - \lambda E) f_{\ell}^{m}(\sigma), \tag{31}$$

with the potential

$$V(\sigma) = \frac{w^2 \lambda^2}{\sigma^4} \left( \frac{\ell(\ell+1)}{6(1+\lambda E)} - \frac{(1-\lambda E)C}{4} \right) + (1-\lambda E) \frac{\ell(\ell+1)}{\sigma^2}.$$

For high mode we remark the following; at large N we get

• if 
$$E \sim 1/\lambda$$
,  $V(\sigma) \sim \frac{w^2 \lambda^2 \ell(\ell+1)}{12\sigma^4}$ ;

$$\sigma \sim \infty \Longrightarrow V(\sigma) \ll 1/\lambda, \ \sigma \sim 0 \Longrightarrow V(\sigma) \sim \infty$$

• 
$$E \ll 1/\lambda$$
,  $V(\sigma) \sim \frac{w^2 \lambda^2}{\sigma^4} \left( \frac{\ell(\ell+1)}{6} - \frac{C}{4} \right) + \frac{\ell(\ell+1)}{\sigma^2}$ ;

$$\sigma \sim \infty \Longrightarrow V(\sigma) \ll 1/\lambda, \quad \sigma \ll 1/\lambda \Longrightarrow V(\sigma) \sim -\infty.$$

The equation (30) can be rewritten as

$$\left[\partial_{\tilde{\sigma}}^2 + 1 + \frac{\tilde{\kappa}^2}{\tilde{\sigma}^4} + \frac{\eta}{\tilde{\sigma}^2}\right] f_{\ell}^m(\sigma) = 0, \tag{32}$$

in which we defined a new coordinate  $\tilde{\sigma} = w\sqrt{1 - \lambda E}\sigma$ ,  $(0 \le E < 1/\lambda)$  and

$$\tilde{\kappa}^2 = w^4 \lambda^2 (1 - \lambda E)^2 \left( \frac{N^2}{4} - \frac{\ell(\ell+1)}{6(1 - \lambda^2 E^2)} \right), \quad \eta = -(1 - \lambda E) \frac{\ell(\ell+1)}{w^2}$$

such that

$$N > \sqrt{\frac{2\ell(\ell+1)}{3(1-\lambda^2 E^2)}}.$$

To solve the above equation we suggest the following steps. First, we choose small  $\sigma$ , the equation (32) is reduced to

$$\left[\partial_{\tilde{\sigma}}^2 + 1 + \frac{\tilde{\kappa}^2}{\tilde{\sigma}^4}\right] f_{\ell}^m(\sigma) = 0. \tag{33}$$

As we saw in mode zero, this kid of equation can be solved by using WKB approach. Thus, to get the solution we use the steps (21-25). Since we considered small  $\sigma$  the potential as found in (25) is evaluated to be

$$V(\chi) = \frac{5\tilde{\sigma}^6}{\tilde{\kappa}^4}.$$

for  $\chi$  defined by (21) for  $\tilde{\kappa}$  instead of  $\kappa$ . Then, the solution of (33) takes the form

$$f_{\ell}^{m} = \frac{\tilde{\sigma}}{\sqrt{\tilde{\kappa}}} e^{\pm i\chi(\tilde{\sigma})} e^{-iwt} \delta x^{m}. \tag{34}$$

This fluctuation will get two different values at different limits of E leading to its discontinuity on the string. A closer look at the potential at large and fixed N in the limits of electric field leads to

• 
$$E \ll 1/\lambda$$
,  $V(\chi) \sim \frac{5\tilde{\sigma}^6}{w^2\lambda^4\left(\frac{N^2}{4} - \frac{\ell(\ell+1)}{6}\right)^2}$ ,

• 
$$E \sim 1/\lambda$$
,  $V(\chi) \sim \frac{-60\tilde{\sigma}^6}{w^2\lambda^4\ell(\ell+1)}$ .

Thus, by considering just a small  $\sigma$  we see that the system is separated to two regions. Now, let's check the case of large  $\sigma$ . The equation of motion (32) of the fluctuation takes the following form by going back to the original variable  $\sigma$ 

$$\left[-\partial_{\sigma}^{2} + \tilde{V}(\sigma)\right] f_{\ell}^{m}(\sigma) = w^{2}(1 - \lambda E) f_{\ell}^{m}(\sigma), \tag{35}$$

where

$$\tilde{V}(\sigma) = \frac{(1 - \lambda E)\ell(\ell + 1)}{\sigma^2}$$

and  $f_{\ell}^{m}$  is now a Sturm-Liouville eigenvalue problem. The solution then is as follows

$$f_{\ell}^{m}(\sigma) = \sqrt{\sigma} \left( \alpha J(a, b) + \beta Y(a, b) \right)$$

$$a = \frac{\sqrt{1 + 4(1 - \lambda E)\ell(\ell + 1)}}{2}, \quad b = w\sqrt{1 - \lambda E}$$
(36)

with J and Y are Bessel functions of first and second kind respectively and  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$  are some constants.

Concerning the potential we remak the following in the different regions of electric field; if  $E \sim 1/\lambda$  the potential is zero for all large  $\sigma$  and if  $E \ll 1/\lambda$  the potential is going to zero. In this last case we don't see big difference by taking the limits for E but by connecting the results discussed for small  $\sigma$  to the large one we get clearly different values for the potential in the two cases  $E \sim 1/\lambda$  and  $E \ll 1/\lambda$ . Consequently, the system is divided to two regions meaning that having Neumann boundary conditions and the end of the string can move freely on the brane.

#### 4 Discussion and Conclusion

The description of intersecting fundamental string/D3-brane was presented by Callan and Maldacena [2] by showing that BI action can be used to build a configuration of a semi-infinite fundametal string ending on a 3-brane. They also showed that the fluctuations which are normal to both the string and the 3-brane behave as if they had Dirichlet boundary conditions at the point of attachement. But as we see in the reference [8] in which the fluctuations were at the level of static solution and electromagnetic field, the excitations are coming down the string with a polarization along a direction parallel to the brane are almost completely reflected but the end of the string moves freely on the 3-brane realizing Neumann boundary condition dynamically. In our work, we consider the dual description by exciting only the BPS solution of the system constituting of dyonic strings (instead of just fundamental or magnetic strings) and D3-brane. We found that the fluctuations behave like having Neumann boundary condition at the presence of electric field E in the system such that  $0 \le E \le 1/\lambda$ .

In this work we reviewed in brief the funnel solutions for D1 $\perp$ D3 branes from D3 and D1 branes points of view and we studied the dynamics of the funnel solutions by plugging into the full  $(N-N_f)$  string action the "overall transverse" fluctuations. We discussed the fluctuations and the potentials in the zero and high modes of the overall transverse. In both cases, we found that D1 $\perp$ D3 system has Neumann boundary conditions caused by the presence of electric field. When the electric field is going up and down the potential of the system and the fluctuations are changing. Consequently, the end point of the dyonic string moves on the brane.

It would be interesting to see whether the properties found in this paper would also be shown in the relative transverse case and for high dimensional branes. Also, we could deal with supergravity background and see if we will get the same boundary conditions by treating the dyonic fluctuations.

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